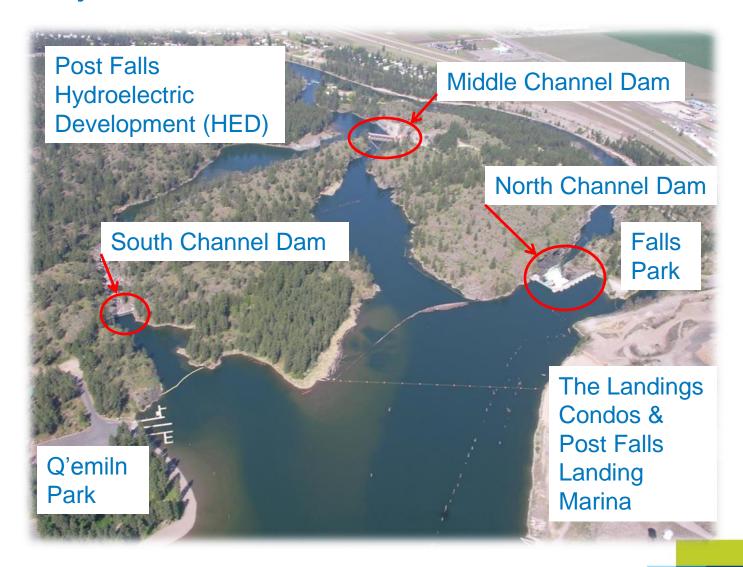


# Post Falls HED South Channel Dam Spillway Gates Replacement Project

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#### **General Project Location**





#### **Existing South Channel Dam and Gates**

- Constructed in 1906
- Original concrete and gate frames
- Manual rack and pinion hoist









#### **FERC Compliance**







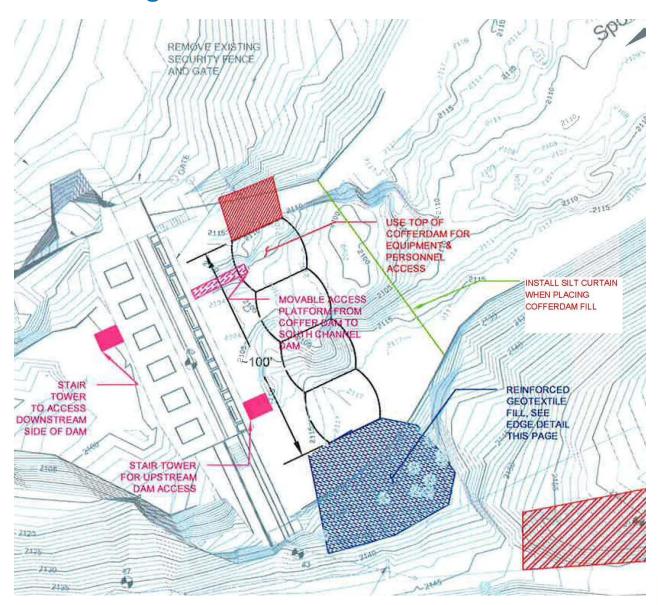
#### **Construction Schedule**

- May 2014 Mobilization
- July September 2014 Build cofferdam
- October December 2014 Demolition (concrete & existing gates/hoists)
- January May 2015 Concrete repair
- May 2015 Install/Commission gates & hoists
- June July 2015 Remove cofferdam
- Summer/Fall 2015 Landscaping and asphalt repair

**Estimated Total Cost = 13.5 Million Dollars** 

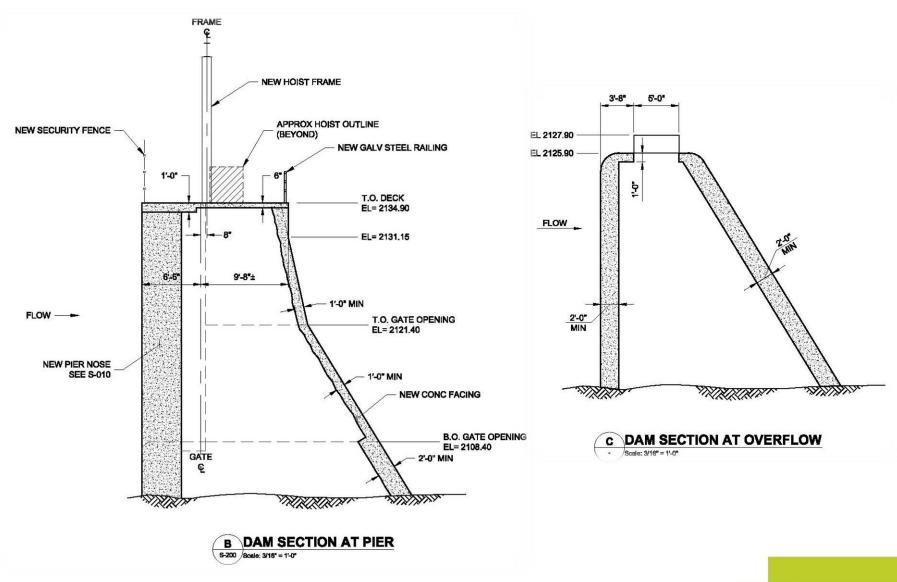


#### **Cofferdam Design**





#### **Repair of Concrete Facing**









## Yes, we told you we wouldn't flood the crane pad...



### Diver work always takes twice as long...

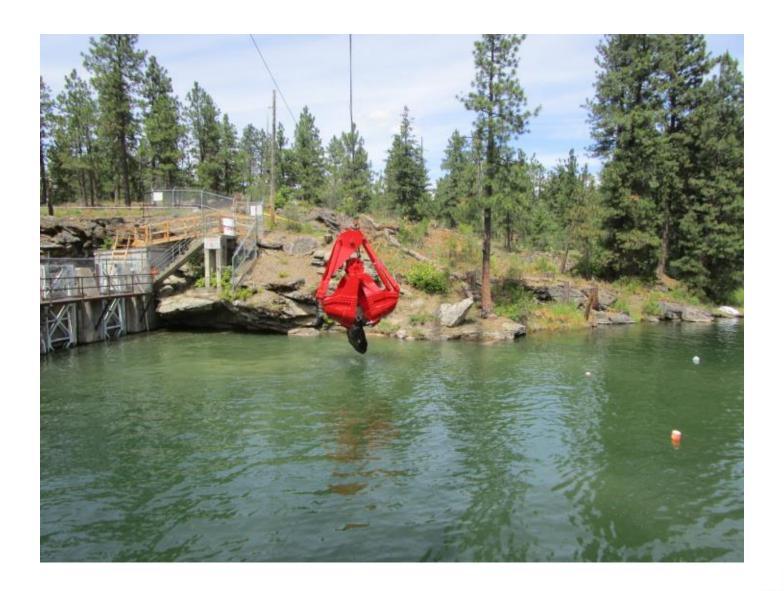








#### Metals? What metals...

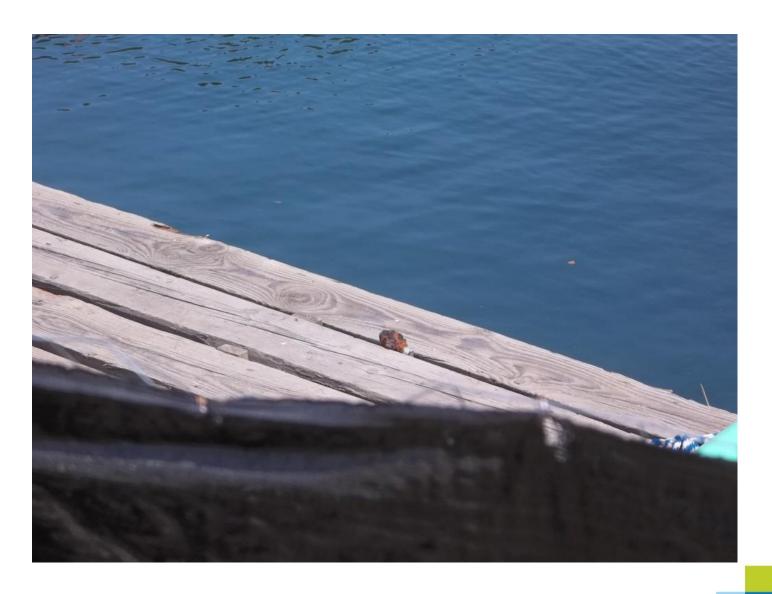








## No seriously, we found a grenade...









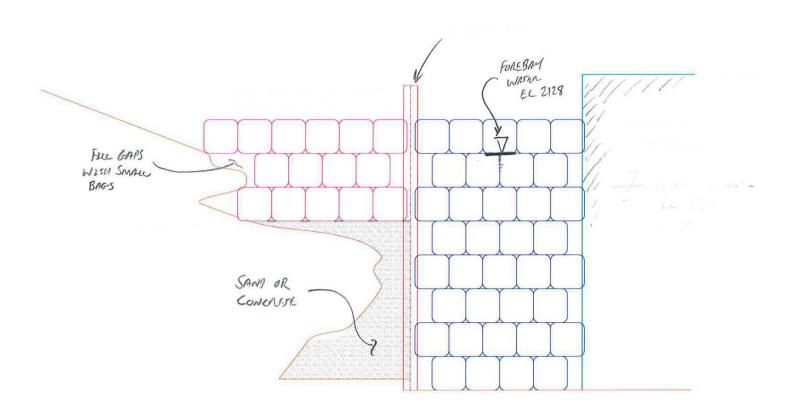






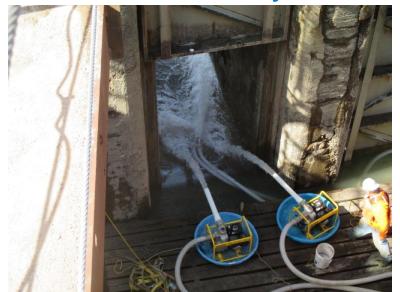
## Mary, don't worry, things will get worse...



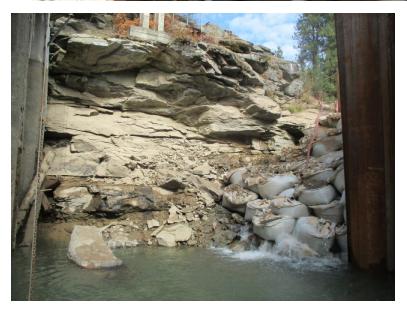




## Yes, we are finally dewatering; wait a minute...











### You might not want to stand there...

























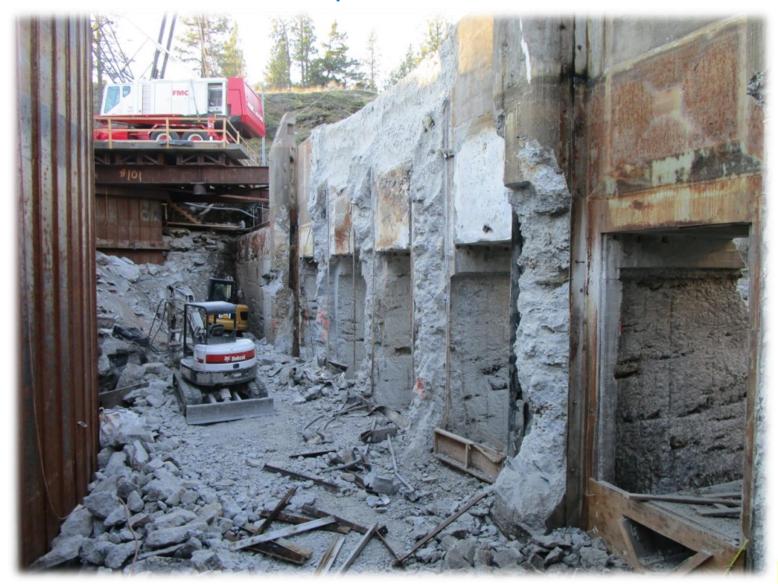


#### What? You are demoing the tunnel floors with a power washer...





### I said don't demo the piers with PT anchors...



## Wait, the tunnel ceilings are too high...







#### And last but not least...





## **Questions?**



